

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF KSANDER ET AL.

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Examiner: Michael Barker

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FOR: N-ACYL NITROGEN HETEROCYCLES AS LIGANDS OF
PEROXISOME PROLIFERATOR-ACTIVATED RECEPTORS

Commissioner for Patents
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Response to Restriction Requirement

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed March 17, 2008, Applicants submit the following amendments and elections.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 19 of this paper.